

Item: _____ RESO 08-275
Fiscal Impact: _____ \$35,890.00
Funding Source: _____ General Fund
Account #: _____

Budget Opening Required:

ISSUE: A Resolution awarding a contract with Blue Sky Recreation for the purchase and installation of a replacement play structure at Woodledge Park.

SYNOPSIS: Play Structure replacement proposals were received on July 23, 2008. Eight different companies supplied proposals to the City. Sonntag Recreation was the highest rated, but is already recommended for the City Park play structure contract. In order to involve multiple vendors and diversify the play equipment, staff recommends Blue Sky Recreation for this project.

Woodledge Park Play Structure evaluation Results follow:

Company	Proposal	Manufacturer	Score	Amount
Garrett and Company	#1	Miracle Rec Equip.	109	\$36,896.00
	#2		DNF	\$38,464.00
Intermountain Rec.		PlayWorld Systems	093	\$35,900.00
Sonntag Recreation	#1	Landscape Structures	118	\$42,000.00
	#2		123	\$42,000.00
	#3		112	\$42,000.00
Great Western P & P		GameTime	118	\$30,129.43
Alpine Recreation		PlayCraft	109	\$41,496.00
Blue Sky		Little Tikes	119	\$35,890.00
PlaySpace Designs		Kompan	85	\$45,000.00
Sunshine Rec.			DNF	\$-

BACKGROUND: The play structure at this location was removed several years ago because of its dilapidated condition. The area residents have been asking for a replacement structure for some time. A proposal process was established to receive bids and evaluate them to determine the best product for this location. The evaluation criteria for these proposals included creativity in design, unique play features, delivery time, cost/value, most effective use of the available space, warranty, etc.

The evaluation criteria was included in the RFP packet so prospective bidders knew how their proposal would be judged. All evaluations were handled independently.

Each proposal was evaluated by a panel of five Parks and Recreation professionals. Over a one week period, the panel reviewed and graded each proposal. The panel consisted of parks and recreation professionals with backgrounds in administration, design, maintenance, recreation, and education.

Once the evaluations were complete, all scoring was placed on a spreadsheet and tallied.

The funding source for this project will be from Park Impact Fees.

RECOMMENDATION: Award the Woodledge Park - Play Structure to **Blue Sky Recreation** for

\$35,890.00. The play structure will be ordered as soon as the resolution is passed. Delivery and installation in 4 weeks.